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## Movie Benefit to Aid Boro Health Center

Club Members to Sell Tickets for Shows Week of May 24

The Women's Community Club of Narberth will give a movie benefit for the Narberth Health Center at the Narberth Theatre four days the week of May 24. On Monday and Tuesday, 24 and 25, the feature will be "Maid of Salem" with Claudette Colbert and Fred MacMurray and on Thursday and Friday, 27 and 28, "The King and the Chorus Girl," with Fernand Gravet.

In order that the club may benefit from the sale of tickets, they must be purchased from club members or from the chairman, Mrs. Caryl E. Starr.

The Child Health Center is the chief project of the club and benefits many in the community and is open each Wednesday in Elm Hall, where the mother of a large and growing family may consult with an expert nurse on the question of diet or social problems. The preliminary work of getting the child ready for examination is done by a volunteer worker. The ages of the children brought to the center range from ten days to school age.

In connection there is a Well Baby Center to which young mothers bring their babies to learn the proper care for them. The Board of Health pays \$25 per month and the balance needed is an annual gift of the Woman's Community Club.

Mrs. Ralph C. Heath, president of the club, recently gave a very worthwhile radio talk on this project and some of the foregoing matter was read by her at that time.

## Rotarians Hear Retailer on Merchandising Methods

Principles of successful retail merchandising were given to Bala-Cynwyd-Narberth Rotarians Tuesday at their weekly meeting in the Overbrook Golf Club by Roy Johnson, vice-president of the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce and president of a ladies' wear shop.

Watch your percentages, he advised, but don't stick too close to figures, as human understanding, service and the right merchandise are almost equally important.

The program was in charge of Alvin E. Shull. A new member, Leonard C. Grupe, of the Bell Telephone Company, was welcomed by Joseph J. Skelton, Jr.

## Aviatrix to Speak in Ardmore

May 17 at 8.30 P. M. in St. Mary's parish house, Ardmore avenue, Ardmore, there will be a meeting of the Aviation Committee for Better International Relations.

The two principal speakers will be Miss Ruth Nichols, world-famous aviatrix, and Major General John F. O'Ryan, commander of the Twenty-seventh Division, A. E. F., and former vice-president of the American Airways. The Lower Merion Simphonietta will play during the meeting.

## Brownies' Picnic May 14

There will be no meeting of the Brownies this Friday afternoon. Brownies are to meet at the Community Building, Narberth, on May 14, at 3.45 for their annual picnic.

## Flower Show on Monday

The Penn Valley Garden Club will hold a flower show on Monday afternoon at the Fairview Sunday School, Penn Valley, from 3 until 9 o'clock.

## Narberth Clean-Up Week Will Start on May 17th

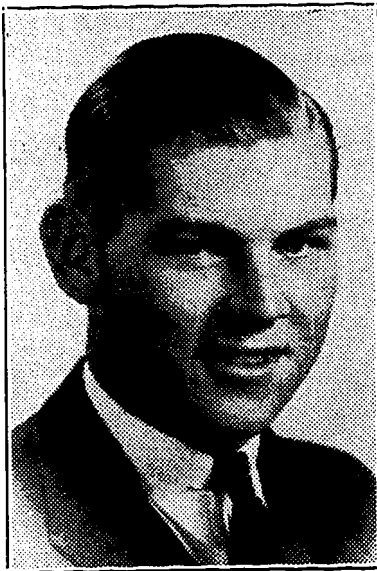
Ransack your attic and scour your basement.

Clean-up Week will start in Narberth May 17, according to Superintendent of Public Works George B. Suplee.

On the regular collection days during that week, May 17-22, the borough trucks will stop to remove rubbish that has accumulated during the past winter. Receptacles should be placed in the usual locations.

The winter schedule of the collection of ashes and trash will be discontinued on May 15. The summer schedule for collections will be published in *Our Town* next Friday.

## Smashes Two Records



ED BEETEM

Past performances in the shot put and discus meant nothing to Ed Beetem, Narberth youth, when he represented Mercersburg Academy in the twentieth annual Open Scholastics sponsored by the University of Maryland at College Park, D. C., last Saturday.

Beetem pushed the 12-pound shot 55 feet 6½ inches to better the old meet mark of 48 feet 10 inches, while he heaved the discus 135 feet 4½ inches to obliterate the old mark of 127 feet 10.8 inches.

He also received a gold watch for being the high scorer of the meet.

"Big Ed," former Lower Merion High School track star, is the 18-year-old, 270-pound son of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Beetem, of 144 North Narberth avenue.

## Juniors Give Banquet for Mothers Tonight

## Book Club Will Present Maroa Bailey in Reading Monday Night

Tonight the Narberth Juniors are holding the banquet for their mothers at Whitehall, Haverford. After the banquet the juniors will entertain the mothers with a play coached by Mrs. Robert Conly. The cast includes Margaret Kent, Patricia Cowie, Mrs. Jean Satow, Dot Hutchinson, Patsy Jefferies and Mabel Hunsicker.

Tomorrow is the day of the big Rummage Sale to be held at 37th and Market streets, Philadelphia.

The Book Club will meet Monday night in the Legion Room of the Community Building.

Mrs. Maroa Bailey will read Noel Coward's "Ways and Means." All who know Mrs. Bailey and her way of presenting plays won't want to miss her and those who haven't heard her, have a treat in store.

Mrs. I. C. Satow will review Noel Coward's autobiography "Present Indicative" which has just been published. Everyone is invited.

Next week will find many juniors in Philadelphia at all of the State Federation Convention meetings.

Reservations for the juniors' closing banquet at Erskine Hall, Haverford, May 27, should be made with Mrs. J. H. Jefferies, Jr.

## Business Council Members Discuss Service Improvement

Methods of improving service to customers were discussed Tuesday night at an informal meeting of the Narberth Business Council in the Arcadia Restaurant.

The question of opening the alley back of the north side of Haverford avenue, between Forest and Narberth avenues, as a driveway for loading and unloading, was also taken up. The project would necessitate removal of an iron fence and tree, but would materially aid the business men of the block besides relieving parking conditions on Haverford avenue, it was held.

Harry Hollar again was authorized to issue the organization's annual Narberth Business Directory.

## Fifty at Mulieres' Luncheon

More than fifty women attended the President's luncheon and card party given by Mrs. Eberhardt Mueller, of Essex avenue, at her home Tuesday afternoon for the members of the Mulieres of the Narberth Fire Company.

Mrs. William Eickson in behalf of the members presented Mrs. Mueller with two lovely gifts in appreciation of her fine work during the past seven years.

## Democratic Group Would Oust Bradley as County Chairman

The Democratic Committee Members' Association of Montgomery County, meeting Monday night at Norristown, by a vote of sixty-five to six, passed a resolution proposing County Commissioner James W. Potter as county chairman and Joseph F. McElwee, of Merion, as treasurer.

Frank J. Bradley, of Norristown, lieutenant of the late Charles W. McAvoy, is the present Democratic chairman.

The resolution as adopted would make McElwee the dispenser of Federal, State, County and other political patronage.

## Hollywood Revue Monday

The Hollywood Revue and Benefit Bridge, a dramatic pageant of film stars and fashions, under the auspices of the Welfare Committee of the Hannah Penn House of Philadelphia, will be given Monday afternoon in the ballroom of the Bellevue-Stratford, Philadelphia.

## Women's Club Plans for State Convention

## Representatives Named to Attend Sessions Next Week in Philadelphia

Mrs. E. S. Griscorn, guest at the Women's Community Club of Narberth on Tuesday afternoon, gave an interesting account of the proposed conservation meeting at the State Federation meeting to be held next Friday in Philadelphia and also told about the Mourning Dove and other birds.

Among those who will go to the convention to represent the club will be Mrs. Edward W. Heymann, president-elect; Mrs. J. W. Sutherland, and Mrs. George W. Orth, alternate. The above-mentioned were selected by the board while the club members chose Mrs. Joseph H. Miller, as their delegate and Mrs. William H. Muller, alternate. Mrs. Muller read an article concerning Bill 736 and it was voted by the members to have the secretary write to Senator Theodore Lane Bean in approval of the bill.

Mrs. W. R. Knauer, chairman of education, announced the Fifth Annual School of Family Relations to be held at State College on June 14 to 18, inclusive, which is sponsored by the State Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. J. H. Sutherland and Mrs. Edward Heymann were at the tea table.

Mrs. Ralph C. Heath, the retiring president, has charge of the luncheons and breakfasts at the State Federation and the club has reserved a room at the Bellevue-Stratford during that time for any of the members who care to attend.

Among the projects to which the club is sending money are the Bowman Hill Preservation, and to the Art Alliance for the Circulating Picture Club so that the Narberth Library will have the painting during the summer and also five dollars to the Legion for the use of the Legion Room.

The fellowship luncheon and card party will be held May 20, at the home of Mrs. Charles Breerwood, on Elmwood avenue. Mrs. J. H. Speck is the chairman.

The final luncheon and closing meeting will be held May 18, at the Wynnewood Inn. Reservations must be made with Mrs. J. E. Burrell, Merion 1404, by May 16. Those who wish transportation call Mrs. Sutherland or Mrs. Joseph H. Hongler, chairman of the Hospitality Committee, who is in charge of the luncheon.

## Lutheran Thespians Produce Riot Of Fun In "Pulling The Curtain"

It would be hard to see how anyone who has ever been in an amateur production could fail to have been infected with the fun in "Pulling The Curtain" as produced last Thursday and Friday by the Senior Lutheran League at the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church.

The story of how the president of the Pine Valley Ladies' Aid produces her own play is indeed an amusing one, and the fact that much of the action takes place in the aisle and amidst the audience was indeed a novelty and very well carried out.

There were really no leading parts, although most of the lines were carried

## Heads Council Committee



MRS. GEORGE C. LEWIS  
chairman of the trip to the County Farm which the Council of Republican Women is planning for Tuesday

## Republican Group Will Inspect County Farm

## Mrs. Lewis Chairman of Trip Sponsored by Lower Merion-Narberth Council

A trip to the Montgomery County Poor Farm has been scheduled for Tuesday by the Lower Merion-Narberth Council of Republican Women. Arrangements have been made by Mrs. George C. Lewis, of Bryn Mawr, chairman of Welfare, and reservations may be made through her.

The group will meet at the Bryn Mawr Community Center, Bryn Mawr, at 12.45 P. M., arriving at the County Farm at 2 P. M. for the tour of inspection.

For those who drive, the route is as announced as follows: Montgomery avenue, Route 23, through Valley Forge to Phoenixville; Route 29, through Phoenixville. Cross the Schuylkill River Bridge to the Farm. Transportation will be arranged by the chairman for those who do not drive and members who will provide transportation are asked to notify Mrs. Lewis.

The trip is of particular interest at this time since recent Grand Jury investigations have aroused public interest in conditions at the home.

On May 18, the Council will give a card party and tea at the Deanery, Bryn Mawr College.

Mrs. H. Tatnall Brown, chairman of entertainment, is in charge of the affair and tickets may be obtained at three dollars a table by phoning Ardmore 1222.

A number of attractive door prizes have been donated and the committee is working with Mrs. Brown to make the party even more successful than last year's.

## The Show Must Go On

That nothing daunts the enterprising and adaptable pupils of the Narberth Public School is indicated by this item (swiped from the school column) concerning the operetta, "Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves," given last Thursday and Friday:

Although the operetta was a success, we had some difficulties with the cast. The part of "Ali Baba" was to be taken by Bill Briner, who suddenly took mumps, and was replaced by Bill Drummy, who took sick with measles.

After this mixup "Ali Baba" was finally taken by Kenneth Schrepfer, who took the part very well on such short notice.

## Borough's Spring Concert in Narberth School Tues.

The annual spring concert will be held at the Narberth Public School Auditorium on Tuesday evening, at 8.15.

The Narberth Parent-Teacher Chorus, under the direction of Mrs. W. J. Drennan, will sing several numbers in their usual brilliant and pleasing style.

They will be assisted by the Bryn Mawr String Ensemble of fifteen members, under the direction of Joseph E. Barone, as well as the school orchestra and glee club.

Mrs. Wesley P. Dunnington will accompany both the chorus and the ensemble and selections will be given from the great masters of music, such as Beethoven, Handel, Schubert, Marcello Daleusin, Grieg, closing with some of the Negro spirituals.

There are no tickets or admission, but a free-will offering will be taken. Every one is urged to attend.

## Throngs Attend First Mass of New Priest

## Rev. J. J. Duffy Officiates at St. Margaret's After Ordination at Trenton

Of great local importance was the Rev. James Joseph Duffy's First Solemn High Mass, offered in St. Margaret's Church, Narberth, at 11.15 last Sunday morning. St. Margaret's parish has been founded approximately thirty-five years and Father Duffy is the first son of this parish to reach God's sanctuary. He has the distinction of being the first boy of St. Margaret's to receive the Sacrament of Holy Orders.

Apart from its importance in the life of the newly ordained priest, the First Solemn Mass is always an elaborately magnificent ceremony. On this occasion the beautiful Gothic church was crowded to the doors with the friends of the family and the many interested people of the parish. Father Duffy, of course, was the Celebrant of the Mass. He was assisted by Rev. Francis Fox as Deacon, Rev. Cletus Gates as Sub-deacon, Rev. Vincent Hamilton as Arch-priest; Jerry Perkins, a theological student from the Vincentian Seminary in Princeton, N. J., and a member of St. Margaret's Parish, acted as master of ceremonies. Present on the altar were many other priests.

Father W. Kain delivered an inspiring sermon in which he recalled the dignity of the priesthood and reminded the newly ordained of his serious responsibilities as a representative of Christ upon earth. Fifty altar boys formed the procession in the Sanctuary. The girls of St. Margaret's School under the direction of the Sisters of Mercy sang the accompanying music of the Mass in the Gregorian mode.

Father James Duffy was born in Philadelphia on February 2, 1910. For the first few years of his boyhood days he attended the Gesu Parochial School at 8th and Stiles street, Philadelphia. In 1920 the Duffy family moved to Narberth and established

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## Chapter's Closing Luncheon 17th

The closing luncheon of the Dr. Benjamin Rush Chapter of N. S. D. A. R. will be held May 17 at Cameo Cottage, 5012 City line, Bala, at 12.30 P. M. Mrs. Vera R. Woodcock, chairman of Ways and Means Committee, is in charge of the luncheon and reservations must be made with her by May 13. Her telephone number is Narberth 2551. Transportation will be arranged for those who wish to attend. Members are to meet at the south side of Narberth Station.

There will be an election of delegates to the State Conference and annual reports. Music.

## Meredith Returns to Phila. Firm

James E. Meredith, of Merion, has returned to the Philadelphia office of Paine, Webber and Company, after two years' coaching athletics for the Czechoslovakian Government.

A former University of Pennsylvania and Olympic track star, Meredith was associated with the firm from 1920 to 1925.

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## Comedy This Weekend Ends Players' Season

## "Nancy's Private Affair" at Narberth School Tonight and Tomorrow

## IT HAS EXCELLENT CAST

The Narberth Players will close their '36-'37 season by presenting the hilarious comedy, "Nancy's Private Affair" in the Narberth Public School Auditorium this Friday and Saturday.

Starring in the cast will be J. Bedford Wooley, former president of the organization, and with a credit of lead roles in "Hay Fever," "Dover Road," "Her Master's Voice," and "These Few Ashes." Grace Werner, another lead, as Nancy, has appeared importantly in "The Tavern," "These Few Ashes" and "Post Road."

Peggie Coholan, as Norah, and Betty Lynch, as Sarah Lee, are among the many friends who lend a helping hand to settle Nancy's Private Affair while George Werner, comedian and veteran performer in the Players, will assume the role of husband, Donald Gibson. This will be Peggie's first appearance to the Players' public, while Betty is responsible for fine performances in "Riddle Me This," "Her Master's Voice" and "Holiday."

Helen Wetheral and Cecilia Link, take the parts of mother and daughter, and we'll venture to say that they're partly responsible for the state of affairs. Finishing out the male cast are William Hand and Robert Estes, Bill was the sheriff in "Sun Up," and gave a very good interpretation, while Bob has appeared in three plays this season.

Martha Lindsay Simpson directed Myron C. Fagan's three-act play, while Jane Nash co-directed for the Players 26th Production.

Assisting with fundamentals are George Werner, in charge of scenery, Charles J. Clarke, who does the painting, properties are produced by Myrtle Harnden, and make-up done by Paul Goodyear. Lights are effected by Marty Mellenger and Victor Krauskop, while Robert Estes, George Suplee and Bill Hand are all assistants.

The curtain will open at 8.45, D. S. T.

## Four Main Line Girls Win Scholarships at Bryn Mawr

Four Main Line undergraduates were included in the list of Bryn Mawr College scholarships and prizes announced last week by Dr. Marion Edwards Park, president of the institution.

Awarded to Doris Grey Turner, of Ardmore, the Lower Merion High School Scholarship, to be held during her junior year.

In their sophomore year, Anne Head Bush, of Haverford, will hold a Foundation Scholarship; Julia Katherine Poorman, of Narberth, a Lower Merion High School Scholarship; Betty-Rose Crozier, of Wynnewood, a New Jersey Alumnae Regional Scholarship.

## 4 in Borough Quarantined

Only four persons were under quarantine in Narberth on May 1, according to the monthly report of Health Officer George B. Suplee. Two have mumps and two have scarlet fever.

Contagious diseases reported in April were: Measles, one; German measles, seven; scarlet fever, two; chicken pox, one; mumps, three; whooping cough, one.

## Oxford Degree for Clergyman

The Rev. George Emerson Barnes, D.D., has been awarded the degree of Master of Arts by Oxford University "in absentia."

Dr. Barnes will attend the World Conference on Life and Work at Oxford this summer, July 12 to 26.

He is pastor of the Overbrook Presbyterian Church and a honorary member of the Bala-Cynwyd-Narberth Rotary Club.

## FIRE CALLS

Narberth Fire Company:  
May 2, 10 A. M., grass fire on Latch's lane, Merion; 11 A. M., railroad bank at Merion Station, flower beds damaged.

Union Fire Association of Bala-Cynwyd:  
May 2, 1.23 P. M., field fire on Highland avenue, Bala.

West Manayunk Fire Company:  
None.

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## Lutheran Thespians a Riot of Fun in "Pulling the Curtain"

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With plenty of stage presence and a real personality, Dwight Mackell as Fonzy Donohue put plenty of pep into his part and had the audience with him all the time. This young man was thoroughly at home and is just a "natural."

Ronald Howell as Herman Sprecher wore "the smile that won't come off" with which he won his audience from the start. His German accent was classic and never overdone. With a winning personality and a fine voice this young fellow "has what it takes."

As Lucas Luxow, an ex-tragedian, Jack Howell, did amazingly well considering the fact that an ex-tragedian has many years back of him, all of which would naturally be somewhat of a handicap when attempted by a youngster, however, he got plenty laughs. His make-up and costume, including a high hat, added much to his comedy.

The "piece de resistance" of the evening was an excellent impersonation of the late William Gillette as "Sherlock Holmes." Perfect in costume, pipe and profile, Winfred Shewell did a most creditable piece of work. A small part in the last act, but well done.

Winter Shewell acted the bewildered Leon Hunderstine, in such a way as to gain real sympathy from the audience and actually lived his character as hen-pecked husband of the president of the woman's club.

As Hobart, who doubled in many parts, Sam McCartney, did a good job. His lines did not afford him the opportunity for much comedy as it was what might be termed a straight part which made his task all the more difficult.

Charles Westman as the peanut-eating Johnny got many laughs and was indeed very much at home in a good comedy part played in the audience.

To enumerate all the parts would take up too much space, suffice to say that the balance of the cast of little stars, including Esther Durbin, Dorothy Mackell, Hilda Howell, Betty Seabolt, Kathryn Catherman and Pearl Carter all did excellent work and the entire production was way above what usually is considered as a church entertainment. It was real theatre done amazingly well.

Considering the fact that the cast in the main was a youthful one, a most able performance was given. It really is amazing the talent in this direction that is hidden in almost every organization in Narberth, proving that almost everyone apparently has a "yen," if but in a small way, to "strut the boards."

It is, of course, to be considered that "Pulling the Curtain" was not quite the play that George Kelly's "The Torchbearers" is, although along the same lines and yet this same cast in "The Torchbearers" would have given a fine performance. The talent is there and in Mrs. Spencer Smith, they have indeed an excellent coach and director and apparently, one willing to work, because any cast of fifteen involves difficulties and in the case of "Pulling the Curtain" this task was doubled on account of handling not only the work on the stage, but also that part so well done in the audience.

"Pulling the Curtain" was a hit for certain.

THE BUSKINEER.

**Charged With Beating Wife**  
Warren William Kunkle, 34, of Montgomery avenue near Brynwood Manor road, Narberth, was held without bail for court Monday night on charges of assault and battery and threatening to kill, after his wife, Elizabeth, testified he beat her for a half hour in a drunken rage Saturday night.

Kunkle, an automobile mechanic, who denied the charges, was arrested on a warrant sworn to by his wife and arraigned before Magistrate Walter B. Lownes in the Lower Merion police station, Ardmore.

## TIME OUT WITH TOMMY MACKLIN

Lower Merion Junior High School track men continued their fine form on the cinder paths last Saturday at Bethlehem. The relays held at that city each spring have become prominent since their inauguration several years ago. The finest junior high teams of the eastern section of Pennsylvania take part and it is a source of pride to the coaches of Lower Merion that the boys who have made up the local junior high squads for the past four or five years have been consistent winners.

Last week the Orange and Black team brought home cups for victories in the 440- and 880-yard relays. The cup for the latter event becomes the permanent possession of the school. The Leopards had two legs won on it and the fine running of the present squad again brought them out in front. The 440-yard distance victory gives the school the second leg on another trophy which will remain in the trophy cabinet at the Junior High School until next spring. Should they win again, it becomes theirs permanently.

The entire track team visited Smedley Junior High of Chester Tuesday afternoon, where they defeated their hosts by a margin of some thirty points. Lower Merion took 12 of 14 first places. Bill Strong, George McDonald, Elvin Holmes and Malikson all starred for the local squad.

The Senior High School showed up well in the Ursinus scholastics last Saturday, held at Collegeville. Coach Drumm's cinder artists took first honors in the running events, but Norristown scored heavily in the field events to score the most team points at the meet.

Coach John Fetter has three games this week for his diamond band. Lansdowne was the enemy on Tuesday and were potent enough to win by a score of 9 to 1. The coach held out his two strongest pitchers for the games with Norristown and Upper Darby. Norristown will be met on Roosevelt Field Thursday, while Upper Darby comes to Pennypacker Field on Friday.

Ray Ryder, Lower Merion's most effective pitcher, will take the hill at Norristown. If Ray can't defeat the strong Blue and White outfits, then Coach Fetter has no one that can. Ensinger will be the hurler against Upper Darby on Friday provided he does not have to do any relief work at Norristown.

We see where Wee Ed Beeten hurled the shot a distance of fifty-five and a half feet at the University of Maryland last week. He also chucked the discus one hundred and thirty-five feet some inches, and for these feats received a gold watch from somebody at Mercersburg Academy, the school he was representing at the time.

Ed will yet astound the Main Line when he gets his full size and strength. He is still just a boy at his weight of 270 pounds and his six feet five inches of height. Go to it, Ed, Beeten.

**Mrs. Whiting at P.T.A. Convention**  
Mrs. E. A. Whiting, president of the Narberth Parent-Teacher Association, left Tuesday for Richmond, Va., to attend the convention of the National Parent-Teacher Association in session this week.

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"SINS OF CHILDREN"  
from the novel "In His Steps"

## Crawford as "Mrs. Cheyney" Current Film at Narberth

Now at the Narberth Joan Crawford plays the title role in "The Last of Mrs. Cheyney," the latest film presentation of the Frederick Lonsdale play in which a young American widow has a fondness for London jewels. In support are William Powell as her butler and Robert Montgomery and Frank Morgan as her suitors.

"Romeo and Juliet," Monday and Tuesday, stars Norma Shearer and Leslie Howard in the title roles of Shakespeare's immortal tragic romance, which ended the feud between the Montagues and the Capulets of Verona. Edna May Oliver, Henry Kolker, John Barrymore, Basil Rathbone and other stars have important parts.

Wednesday (Cash Award Night) will see the stars of "Ah, Wilderness," Eric Linden and Cecilia Parker, in "Sins of Children," a film based on the novel "In His Steps."

Next week-end's attraction will be "Love is News" with Tyrone Power and Loretta Young.

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## On F. and M. Student Weekly

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They are Justin R. Peters, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Justin R. Peters, of Narbrook avenue, and George H. Speer, Jr., of Wynnewood avenue.

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Mrs. W. A. Pearson, of Avon road, entertained her Sunday School Class of St. Matthew's Church, Philadelphia, at dinner Monday evening at her home.

Miss Helen Blake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Blake, of Rockavon road, Merion, gave a luncheon and bridge Saturday. Those present were the Misses Ruth Wohler, Betty Lou Dennis, Virginia de Hart, Connie Byrd, Beulah Buek, Edna Glenn and Jean Engelhart.

Mrs. Frederick Harjes, of Valley View Farm, Valley Forge, will entertain the Fortnightly Club at luncheon May 14. This will be the final meeting of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Briner and family, of Merion avenue, will spend the week-end at State College, visiting their daughter, Miss Eleanor Briner, who is attending college. They will attend the Mothers' Day exercises at the college this Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Franklin Wielland, of Hansell road, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, Edna George Wielland, on April 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert B. Price, of Merwyn road, Merion, and their daughter, Miss Doris Price, spent the week-end in Baltimore as the guests of Mrs. Price's mother, Mrs. George Elmer. Miss Price acted as bridesmaid at the wedding of Miss Margaret Kidd and Mr. James Phillip Aaron which took place on Saturday in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Heath, of Shirley road, will spend the week-end at State College and attend the Mothers' Day exercises on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin R. Lindsay, of Wynnedale road, spent last week-end in Baltimore.

Miss Sarah Burbank, of Pottstown, was the guest of Miss Hazel Marscher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Marscher, of Haverford avenue, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Dennis, of Anthwyn road, Merion, spent the week-end in Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Grafton Carlisle, of Swarthmore, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of their second daughter, Penelope Susan Carlisle. Mrs. Carlisle is the former Miss Lillian Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Baker, of Haverford avenue, Narberth.

Mrs. E. C. Griswold, of Chestnut avenue, recently returned from a several days' stay at Medford, Mass., where she visited her daughter, Miss Eunice Griswold, who is attending Tufts College.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Stoneall Livingston, of 114 Essex avenue, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, Douglass Stoneall Livingston, Jr., on Sunday, May 2. Mrs. Livingston is the former Miss Vera Sutherland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Bruce Sutherland, of Brookline.

Mrs. E. C. Griswold, of Chestnut avenue, who spent several days in Medford, Mass., also visited Captain and Mrs. Frederick Van Auker in Boston. The Van Aukers formerly lived in Narberth.

Mr. Howard Cotter, Narberth merchant, is on a cotter to Florida.

Mrs. Adolph Schafer, of Broadaxe, entertained at a bridge party and miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Virginia Getty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton V. B. Getty, of the Avon Apartments, Narberth, whose engagement to Mr. Randolph Carson, has been announced. The guests were Mrs. Alvah O. Sharp, Mrs. A. McKnight Sykes, Mrs. C. C. Wigginton, Mrs. William Jeffries, Mrs. W. Hunter Boardman, Mrs. W. E. G. Miller, Mrs. C. V. B. Getty, Mrs. Franklin Wedge, Miss Katherine Dutcher, Miss Julia Ball and Miss Harriett Getty.

Mrs. J. Howard Austin, of Anthwyn road, will entertain at a luncheon on Saturday for the members of the graduating class of the Agnes Irwin School.

**Muriel White Engaged**

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. White, of Essex avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Muriel White, to Mr. Robert Baker, of Overbrook.

Miss White, who is a graduate of Lower Merion High School, will graduate from Swarthmore College this June.

Mr. Baker is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, class of 1935.

**Boy Scout Notes**

**Main Line District Court**

The Main Line District Court of Honor and Board of Review will be held at the Radnor High School, Audubon avenue, Wayne, on Tuesday evening at 7.45 P. M. Those who will receive awards are:

Ardmore No. 1—R. Montgomery, Jr. (four year scout), Theo. Ferwerda, C. Nangle, E. F. Powers, Kenneth Conner, Alfred Ferwerda, Harry Wanderland, Bob Therpet, Bill Kiesel, Bill Emmons, Robert Reed, John Chilton, Robert Cornelious, Jr., Walter Brown, E. Reynolds, C. Raynor, M. Bobb.

Ardmore No. 2—(Four year scout) Bruner Hardie and Robert Hardie. Bala-Cynwyd No. 2—Gordon Calow.

Bala-Cynwyd No. 3—Richard Hoff, Ted Hoff.

Bryn Mawr No. 1—M. Barone, Francis A. Nash, George G. Zipf, Alfred R. Jamison, George Perkins.

Merion No. 1—John Hepman, Russell Belfield, Archie Tiff, George Grow, Kent Roberts, Ray Watrous, Dick Custer, Charles C. Beyer, 2nd.

Merion No. 2—Fielding Howe. Narberth No. 2—Russell Shinn, Al Townsend, Jim Pruitt.

Penn Wynne No. 1—Don Rhaesa, Edward Rosengarten, Bob Burnley, G. Murphy, John Cox, F. Johnson, Thomas Johnson, Edwin Dafter.

Rosemont No. 2—Walter Harrison (four year scout), Geoffrey Saunders (four year scout), James F. Jamieson, Jr.

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**Camporee at Valley Forge**

The Boy Scout Troops in the Valley Forge Council of Delaware and Montgomery Counties, Boy Scouts of America, are busy preparing to participate in the annual Camporee to be held in Artillery Park, Valley Forge, the week-end of May 22-23, 1937.

**National Jamboree in July**

The Valley Forge Council of Delaware and Montgomery Counties, Boy Scouts of America, are planning to send three provisional troops, a group comprising close to one hundred scouts and scout leaders, to the National Jamboree which will be held in Washington, D. C., this summer, June 30 to July 9.

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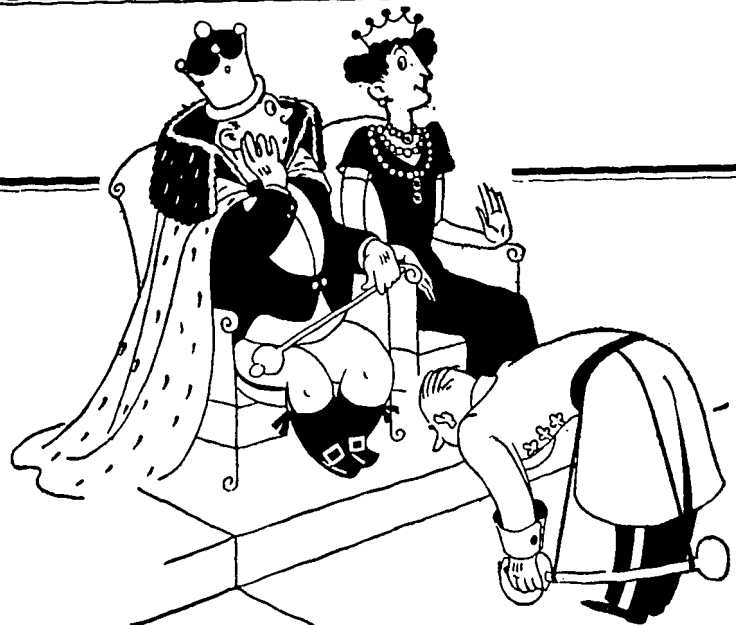
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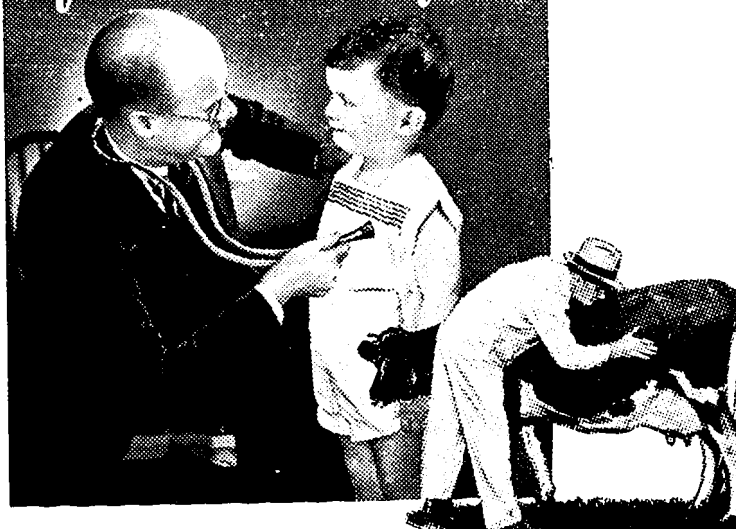
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## Girl Scout News

The three Narberth Troops, 8, 47 and 125 and the Mariners are selling tickets for the motion picture "Romeo and Juliet" starring Norma Shearer and Leslie Howard, which is showing at the Narberth Theatre on Monday and Tuesday. The money received from the sale of the tickets will be used toward scholarships to send girls to camp. All interested friends are urged to co-operate by buying a ticket.

### Troop 47

Since our last meeting we reorganized our troop into four patrols and had a re-election of patrol officers. Most of the girls of second class are concentrating on nature study. We are also having extra meetings on Monday afternoons to help the girls finish before summer.

Our Girl Scouts are selling tickets for the performance of "Romeo and Juliet" to be given at the Narberth Theatre on May 10 and 11. Anyone wanting tickets may obtain them from the scouts or the scribe.

Four of our girls, Ellen May Rush-ton, Mary McHale, Delvis Lazareni and Mary Henshaw have been picked to serve at the Main Line Leaders' Association dinner on May 10.

M. HENSHAW, Scribe.

## In the Schools

The operetta "Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves," given by the Narberth Public School April 29 and 30, turned out to be a big success.

There were good audiences both nights. About 400 tickets were sold. The net proceeds was about \$65. This money will be used to add to the school's collection of instruments.

Every pupil selling ten tickets received a free ticket. HELEN WIPP.

On May 2 Miss Dale showed a very interesting movie on Luther Burbank. It showed many interesting things about him and was enjoyed by all. Miss Taylor and Mr. Schall will also show a movie, entitled "Circulatory System." BETTY MCINTIRE.

## Throgs Attend First Mass of New Priest

Continued from Page One  
their home at 335 Dudley avenue. During this year James entered Waldron Academy, the Mercy School on Montgomery avenue, where he continued his studies until 1926. At this time he proceeded to Mount Saint Mary's College and after a few years' preparatory studies entered the Seminary at Emmitsburg, Md., to take up the difficult training for the Catholic Priesthood.

Now, in 1937, after years of arduous research schooling and rigid discipline, and having passed the required examinations, he is an ordained priest of the Catholic Church. The ordination took place in the cathedral of Trenton, N. J., and was administered by Bishop Kiley, administrator of the Trenton Diocese. After a short vacation with his mother and father, the young priest will be assigned to a parish as assistant rector. His many friends send him off with a prayer and best wishes for a successful career of service in his work of sacrifice.

### David H. Ball

The funeral of David H. Ball, who died suddenly of a heart attack at the home of his daughter, Mrs. David Tyson, 214 Forest avenue, Narberth, last Saturday, was held Wednesday with interment at West Laurel Hill Cemetery.

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## Church Notes

### Narberth Methodist Episcopal

Rev. W. Vernon Middleton, Minister  
Sunday, May 9:

#### Mothers' Day

9.45 A. M.—Church school.  
11 A. M.—Morning worship. Sermon: "New Testament Motherhood."  
3.30 P. M.—Junior Epworth League.

6.45 P. M.—Intermediate and Senior Epworth Leagues.

7.45 P. M.—Evening worship. Sermon: "The Necessity for Pentecost."

Monday, May 10:

8.15 P. M.—The men are invited to bowl.

Wednesday, May 12:

2 P. M.—Ladies' Aid Society business meeting.

Thursday, May 13:

6.30 P. M.—Junior choir.

8 P. M.—Choir rehearsal.

### The Presbyterian Church

Rev. Archer E. Anderson, Pastor  
Sunday:

9.45 A. M.—Bible school.

11 A. M.—Mothers' Day. Dr. John Van Ness will preach. Theme: "Religion in the Home."

11 A. M.—The junior church, conducted by Mrs. Digby and Mrs. Cooke.

11 A. M.—Children's nursery, under the supervision of Mrs. Gilfillan.

6.45 P. M.—The three Christian Endeavor groups.

7.45 P. M.—Narberth's happy Bible hour. Sermon by Dr. Van Ness.

Theme: "Repeal Promises and Repeal Facts."

Tuesday:

8.15 P. M.—Community Bible class.

Wednesday:

8 P. M.—Prayer meeting, led by Mr. R. W. Barr, of Germantown.

**Baptist Church of the Evangel**

Robert E. Keighton, Minister  
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Sunday, May 9:

9.45 A. M.—The Church School.

11 A. M.—Morning worship. Sermon: "The Way of Gratitude."

7 P. M.—The young people's meeting.

Monday, May 10:

2.30 P. M.—Religious Education meeting of the Women's Association in the home of Mrs. L. H. Trotter, 205 Woodside avenue.

Tuesday, May 11:

8 P. M.—Annual meeting of the church. At this important meeting every member should be present.

Wednesday, May 12:

8 P. M.—Mid-week meeting of the church. Theme: "How Much Do We Want Goodness?"

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9.45 A. M.—Bible school with pageant, "Loveliness Lightens the Way."

11 A. M.—The morning service.

6.45 P. M.—Intermediate and Senior Luther Leagues.

Tuesday:

Women's Missionary Society.

Wednesday:

8 P. M.—Teachers' meeting.

Thursday:

10.30 A. M.—Ladies' Aid meeting at the home of Mrs. Zeisler, 547 Hansell road.

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You the said Thomas Barr Stevenson, are hereby notified to be and appear in the said Court on Monday, June 7, 1937, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., Eastern Standard Time, to answer the petition or libel of Anita Miller Stevenson for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony and to show cause, if any you have, why the said Anita Miller Stevenson, your wife, should not be divorced as aforesaid.

EDWIN H. BELLIS, Sheriff.  
Sheriff's Office, Norristown, Pa.  
April 20, 1937.

Larzere & Wright, Attys.  
(O-5/7)

### SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Montgomery County, Penna., to me directed will be sold at Public Sale on

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2, 1937

at 12:00 o'clock noon Eastern Standard Time in Court Room "A" at the Court House in the Borough of Norristown, said County, the following described Real Estate:

ALL THAT CERTAIN lot or piece of ground together with the improvements or tenements thereon erected, situate in Lower Merion Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, bounded and described according to a survey thereof made by Franklin & Clarke, C. E., March 6, 1912, as follows, to wit:

BEGINNING at a point in the middle line of Beacom Avenue (45 ft. wide) 727.93 ft. north 63 deg., 15 min., 50 sec. east from a spike in the middle line of Wynnewood Avenue (50 ft. wide); thence by land now or late Charles L. Lagen north 26 deg., 44 min., 10 sec. west 173.23 ft. to a point in line of land of

thence by last mentioned land north 64 deg., 21 min., 40 sec. east 76.014 ft. to a point, a corner of this and land now or late of Edward H. Godshalk; thence along last mentioned land south 26 deg., 44 min., 10 sec. east 171.78 ft. to the middle of said Beacom Avenue; thence along the middle line of Beacom Avenue south 63 deg., 15 min., 50 sec. west 76 ft. to the place of beginning.

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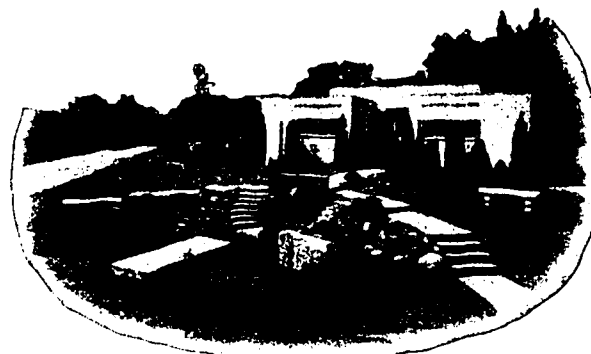
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